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In re application of:

SHINPEI OKAJIMA, et al

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Commissioner:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed December 3, 2003. A petition to extend time to respond accompanies this amendment. Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

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